BookletChart

Beaver Bay to Pigeon Point

(NOAA Chart 14967)

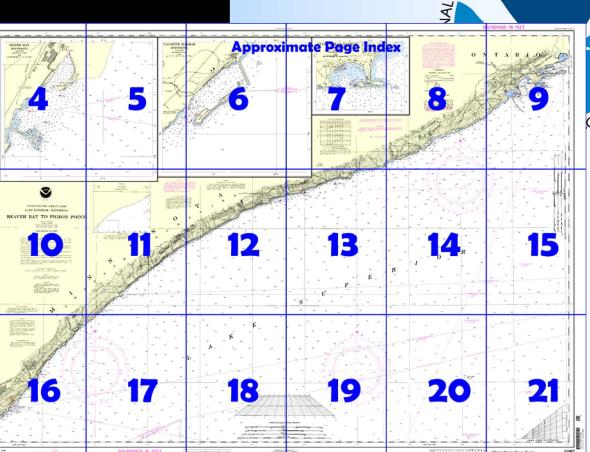


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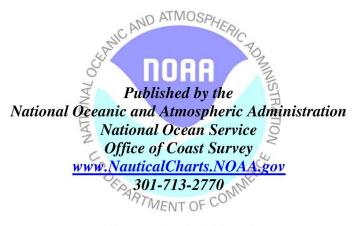
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What is a BookletChart $\stackrel{\text{\tiny TM}}{=}$?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

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[Coast Pilot 6, Chapter 13 excerpts]

(395) **Beaver Bay**, about 50 miles NE of Duluth Ship Canal, is about 0.7 mile wide and indents the shore about 0.3 mile. The 16-foot depth contour is within 30 to 200 feet of shore. Large boulders are in all parts of the bay. The shore of the bay is bordered by bluffs that rise 75 to 200 feet above the lake. The bay affords some shelter from S, W, and N storms, but is open and unprotected to NE, E, and SE. The most dangerous storms at this end of the lake are from NE, the seas having a

fetch of more than 250 miles. Two piers are on the N side of the bay. The E pier has a depth of 5 feet at the outer end, and the W pier 9 feet at the outer end.

(402) **Taconite Harbor** is a private harbor maintained by the Minnesota Power Company and Cleveland-Cliffs Inc., about 75 miles NE of Duluth at the mouth of **Two Island River.** The harbor is a basin, about 0.8 mile

long and 0.3 mile wide, enclosed by **Gull Island, Bear Island,** and a series of breakwaters. Three lighted stacks at the powerhouse at the N end of the harbor are prominent.

(409) From Taconite Harbor, the shore extends NE for 31 miles to Grand Marais. Steep slopes and cliffs in this reach rise to elevations over 900 feet above the lake within 1 to 2 miles of shore. **Carlton Peak**, 4.5 miles NNE of Taconite Harbor, and **Leveaux Mountain**, 8 miles NE of the harbor, are two of the tallest peaks. **Rock Island**, a low rocky projection in the E approach to **Good Harbor Bay**, 3.6 miles SW of Grand Marais, is the only off-lying obstruction in this reach. Otherwise, the shore can be approached within 0.5 mile.

(411) **Grand Marais Harbor** is a small-craft harbor 31 miles NE of Taconite Harbor and 106 miles NE of Duluth. It is the only harbor with facilities and adequate protection for small craft in the 125 mile stretch between Two Harbors and the International boundary at Pigeon River. The harbor is a semicircular bay with a narrow opening to S between two points of land. The harbor is a commercial fishing base. **Grand Marais, Minn.,** is a town on the N side of the harbor.

(412) **Grand Marais Light** (47°44.7′N., 90°20.3′W.), 48 feet above the water, is shown from a white square pyramidal skeleton tower, upper part enclosed, on the E side of the harbor entrance. A fog signal is at the light. (419) **North Superior Coast Guard Station** is on the SE side of the harbor basin.

(422) From Grand Marais Harbor NE for 34 miles to Grand Portage Bay, the shore is rocky and bold, with deep water close-to and a few outlying rocks. Five Mile Rock, awash, is 0.8 mile offshore 5 miles NE of Grand Marais Light. Marr Island, low and rocky, is on the outer end of a reef that extends 0.4 mile from a small point 12.5 miles NE of Grand Marais. A detached rock, covered 5 feet, is 0.4 mile offshore 0.7 mile SW of the S entrance point to Grand Portage Bay. Chicago Bay and Big Bay, 18 and 21 miles NE of Grand Marais, respectively, are the largest indentations in this stretch and afford limited protection. Hovland, a settlement on Chicago Bay, has a small privately owned dock. (424) Grand Portage Bay, about 5 miles SW of the International boundary, is about 2 Miles wide and extends 1.3 Miles into the shoreline. Hat Point (47°57.2'N., 89°38.3'W.), marked by a light, encloses the NE side of the bay and separates it from Wauswaugoning Bay. Grand **Portage Island,** in the middle of the entrance to the bay, affords some protection from offshore winds. Inside Grand Portage Island, the bay has depths of 6 to 12 feet. Boats drawing 8 feet or more should not approach nearer than 0.25 mile to shore. A 6-foot shoal midway between Grand Portage Island and Hat Point renders the bay entrance NE of the island hazardous.

(427) **Wauswaugoning Bay** is just NE of Grand Portage Bay, separated from it by Hat Point. The shore of the bay along Hat Point is a continuous rocky cliff rising to about 100 feet above the lake. **Mount Josephine**, at the inner end of Hat Point, rises 700 feet above the lake. The NW side of the bay is bordered by a 500-foot bluff with a boulder beach broken by cliffs. The NE side of the bay is low and heavily wooded.

(428) A rocky reef, covered 5 feet, is about 0.6 mile offshore on the NW side of Wauswaugoning Bay. **Francis Island**, small and rocky, is on a rocky ledge that extends 0.4 mile W from the E point of the bay. Aside from these hazards and the shallows at the NE end of the bay, there are good depths and the shores are fairly deep-to. The bay has good holding ground for anchorage, but is exposed to SE to SW winds.

(429) Wauswaugoning Bay is partially protected by a group of small islands that extend 2 miles SE from the E point of the bay. **Lucille Island,** the outermost, **Susie Island,** and **Magnet Island** are the largest in the group. A dangerous detached rock is 0.3 mile SE of the SW point of Lucille Island. Caution is advised when navigating around and between these islands.

(430) From Wauswaugoning Bay, the shore trends ENE for 5.5 miles to Pigeon Point (48°00.2'N., 89°29.8'W.). **Clark Bay,** at the inner end of Pigeon Point, is a small inlet open to E and protected on the S side by a point and two small islands **Pigeon Point** is a rocky peninsula

by a point and two small islands. **Pigeon Point** is a rocky peninsula that extends 3.5 miles ENE and encloses the S side of **Pigeon Bay.**



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CAUTION

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Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Local Notice to Mariners.
During some winter months or when endangered by ice, certain aids to navigation are replaced by other types or removed. For details see U.S. Coast Guard Light List.

Polyconic Projection Scale 1:120,000

North American Datum of 1983 (World Geodetic System 1984)

SOUNDINGS IN FEET

RADAR REFLECTORS

Radar reflectors have been placed on many floating aids to navigation. Individual radar reflector identification on these aids has been omitted from this chart.

CAUTION

Limitations on the use of radio signals as Limitations on the use of radio signals as aids to marine navigation can be found in the U.S. Coast Guard Light Lists and National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency Publication 117. Radio direction-finder bearings to commercial broadcasting stations are subject to error and should be used with caution. Station positions are shown thus:

Old course location.

⊙(Accurate location) o(Approximate location)

Mariners should use caution as military craft may be operating within the area. For further information consult the U.S. Coast Guard Local

HORIZONTAL DATUM

The horizontal reference datum of this chart in endiziontal reference datum of this chart is North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), which for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS 84). Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1902 must be corrected an average of 0.545 southward and 0.746* westward to agree with this chart.

POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous substances to the National Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (toll free), or to the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility if telephone communication is impossible (33 CFR 153).

Low Water Datum, which is the plane of reference for the levels shown on the above hydrograph, is also the plane of reference for the charted depths, if the lake level is above or below Low Water Datum, the existing depths are correspondingly greater or lesser than the charted depths.

LORAN-C GENERAL EXPLANATION

LORAN-C	FREQUENCY100kHz

8970.........89,700 Microseconds
STATION TYPE DESIGNATORS: (Not individual station letter designators). Master

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EXAMPLE: 8970-Y

RATES ON THIS CHART

Loran-C correction tables published by the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency or others should not be used with this chart. The lines of position shown have been adjusted based on survey data. Every effort has been made to meet he ¼ nautical mile accuracy criteria established by the U.S. Coast Guard. Mariners are cautioned not to rely solely on the lattices in inshorts waters. the lattices in inshore waters.

NOTE A

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Navigation regulations are published in Chapter 2, U.S.
Coast Pilot 6. Additions or revisions to Chapter 2 are published in the Notice to Mariners. Information concerning the regulations may be obtained at the Office of the Commander, 9th Coast Guard District in Cleveland, Ohio, or at the Office of the District Engineer, Corps of Engineers in St. Paul, Minnesota.

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Consult U.S. Coast Pilot 6 for important supplemental information.

Additional information can be obtained at nauticalcharts.noaa.gov.

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POTABLE WATER INTAKE (PWI)

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Vessels operating in fresh water lakes or rives shall not discharge sewage, or ballast, or blige water within such areas adjacent to domestic water intakes as are designated by the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (21 CFR 1250.93). Consult U. S. Coast Pilot 6 for important supplemental information.

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SOURCE DIAGRAM

Most of the hydrography identified by the letter IT was surveyed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers prior to 1974. Other outlined areas represent the limits of the most recent hydrographic survey information that has been evaluated for charting. Surveys have been banded in this diagram by date and type of survey. Channels currently maintained by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are periodically resurveyed and are not shown on this diagram. Refer to Chapter 1, United States Coast Pilot.

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The prudent mariner will not rely solely on any single aid to navigation, particularly on floating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List and U.S. Coast Pilot 6 for details.

This nautical chart has been designed to promote safe navigation. The National Ocean Service encourages users to submit corrections, additions, or comments for improving this chart to the Chief, Marine Chart Division (N/CS2), National Ocean Service, NOAA, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910-3282.

SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS. For complete list of symbols and abbreviations see Chart No. 1.

AIDS TO NAVIGATION. Consult U.S. Coast Guard Light List for supplemental information concerning aids to navigation. See Canadian List of Lights, Buoys and Fog Signals for information not included in the U.S. Coast Guard Light List.

SAILING DERECTIONS. Bearings of sailing courses are true and distances given thereon are in statute miles between points of departure.

AUTHORITIES. Hydrography and topography by the National Ocean Service, Coast Survey, with additional data from the Corps of Engineers, Geological Survey, U.S. Coast Guard, and Canadian authorities.

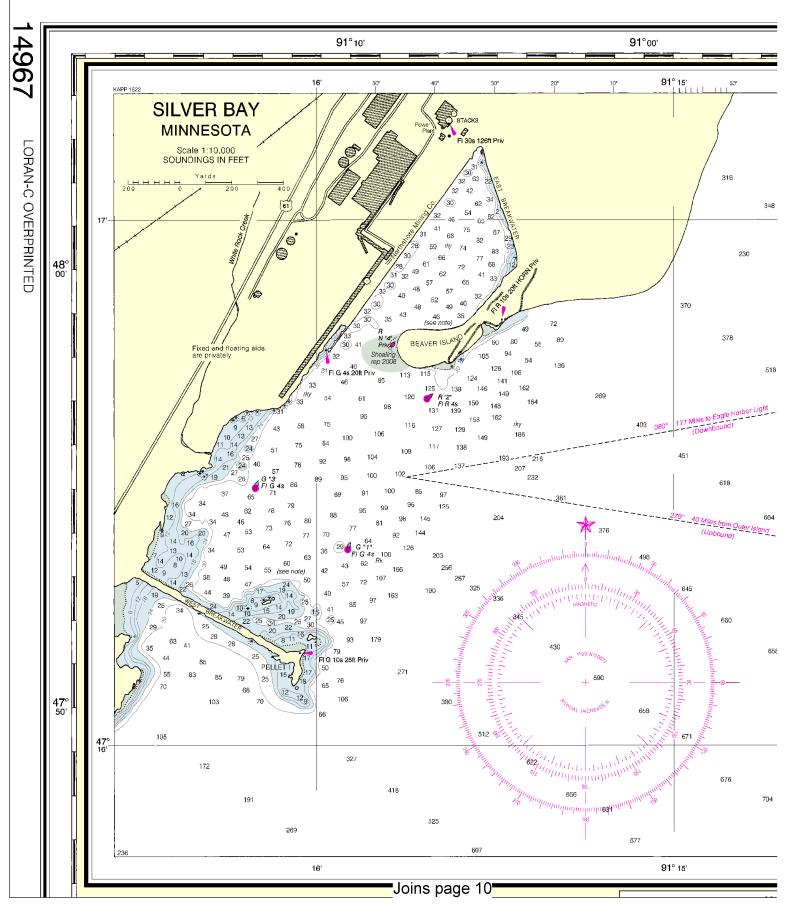
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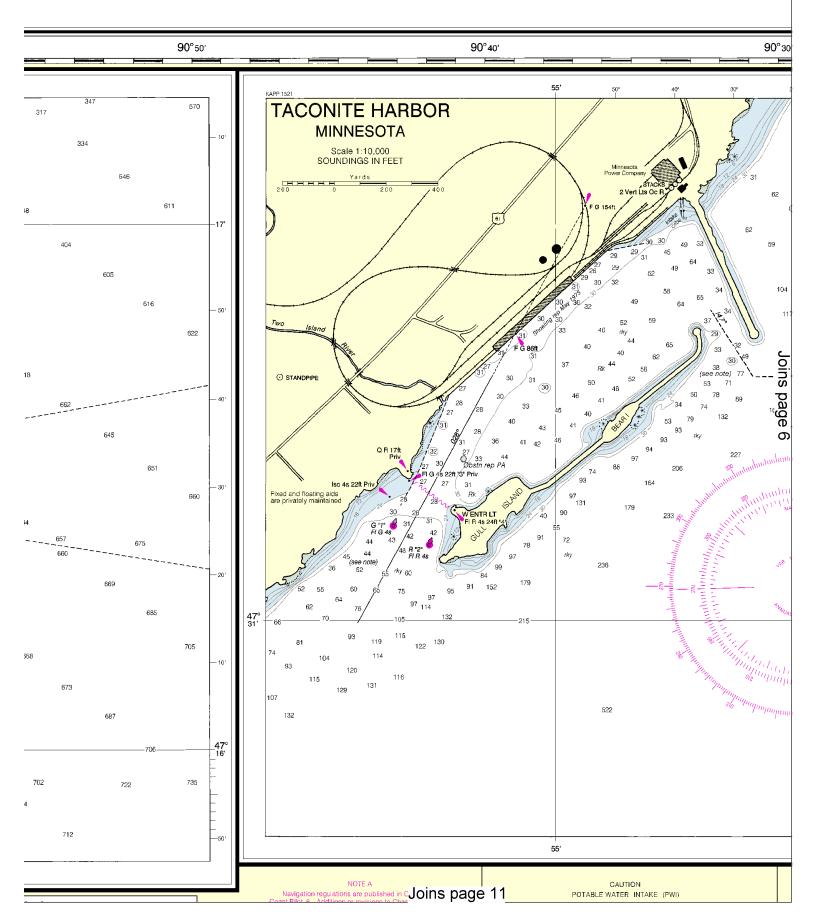
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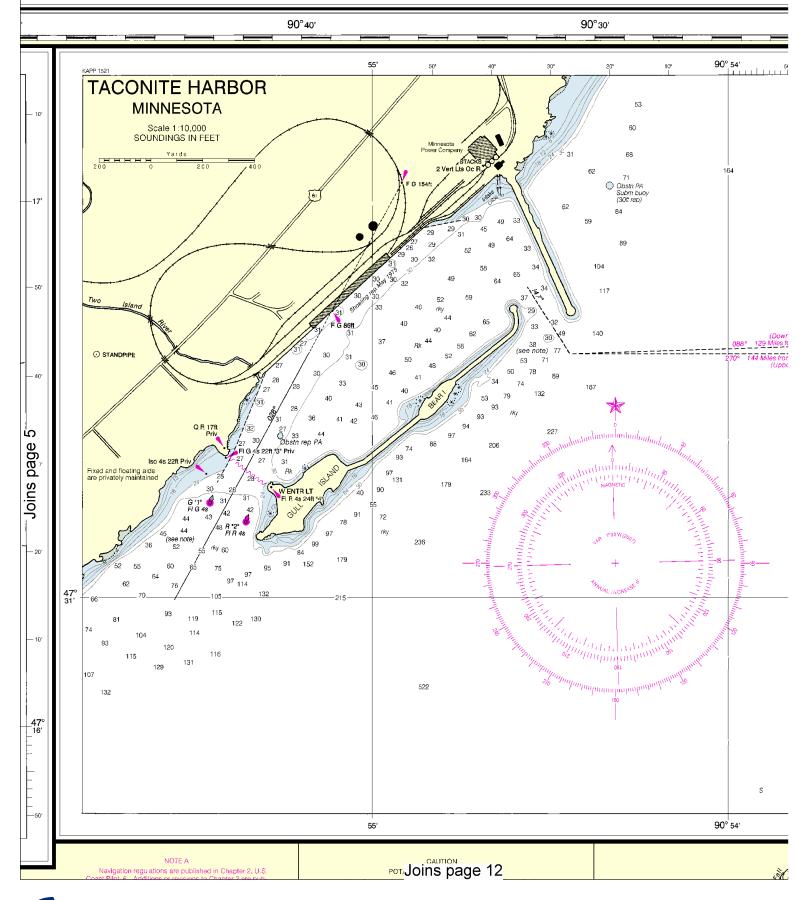
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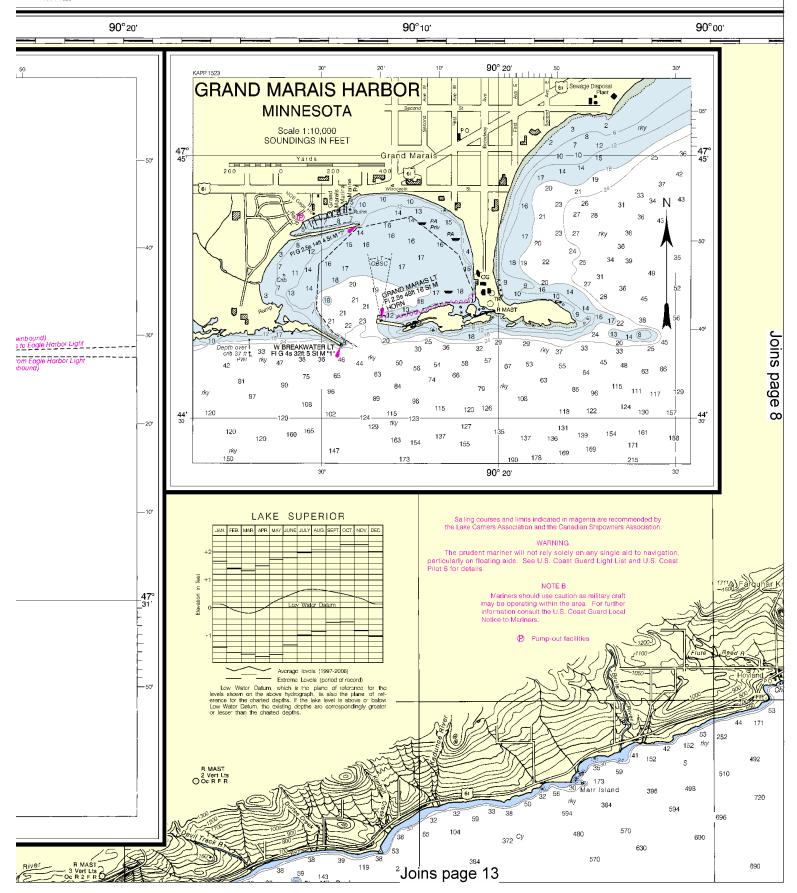
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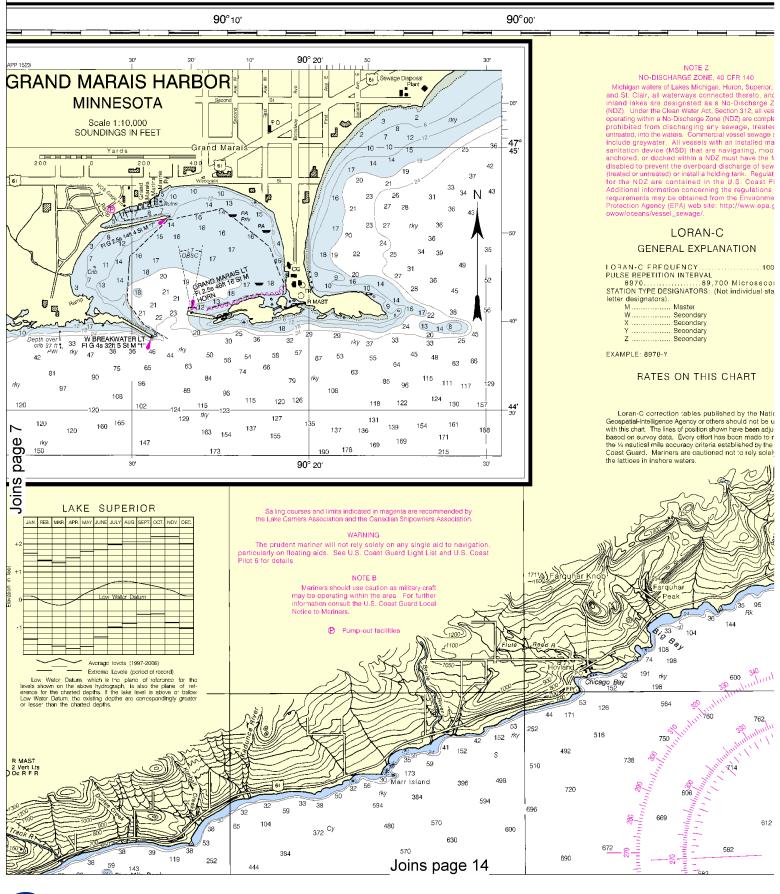




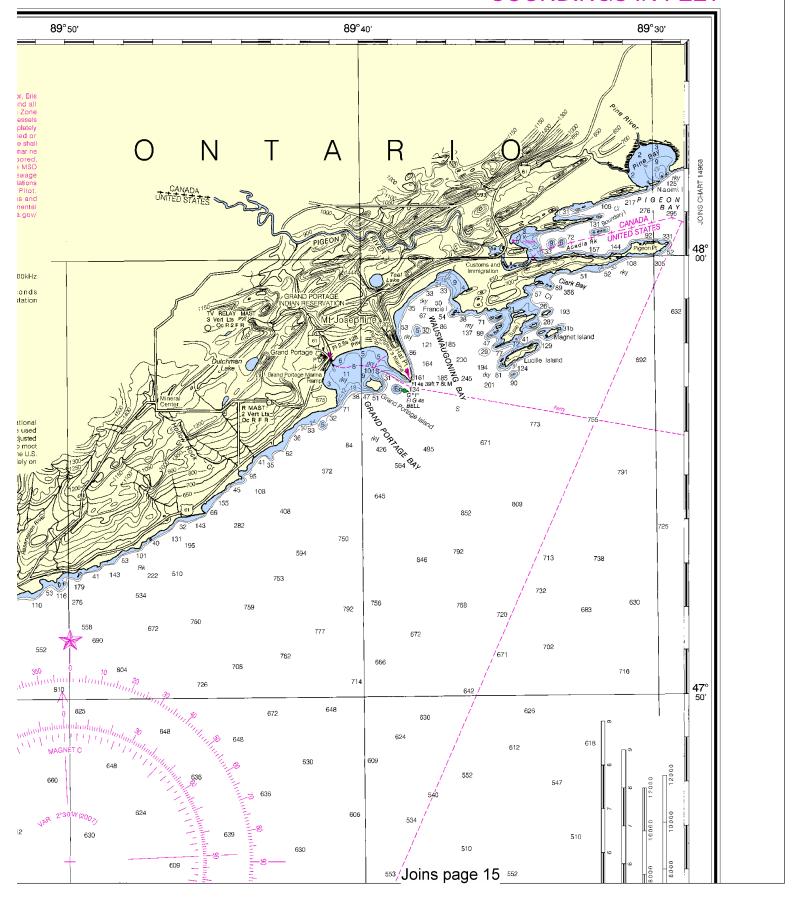
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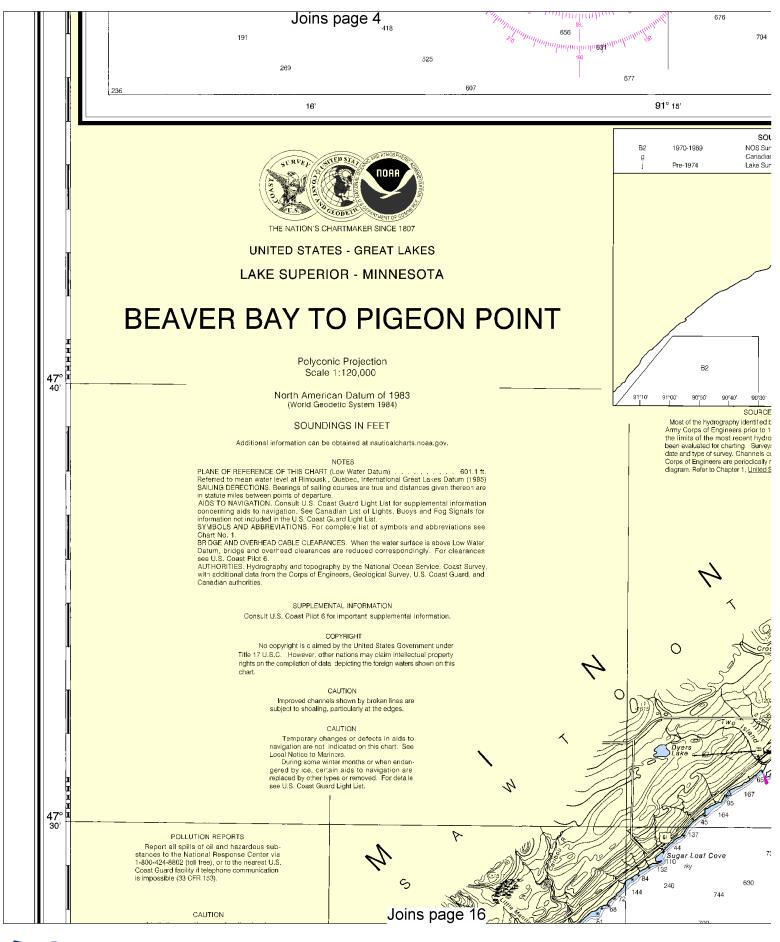
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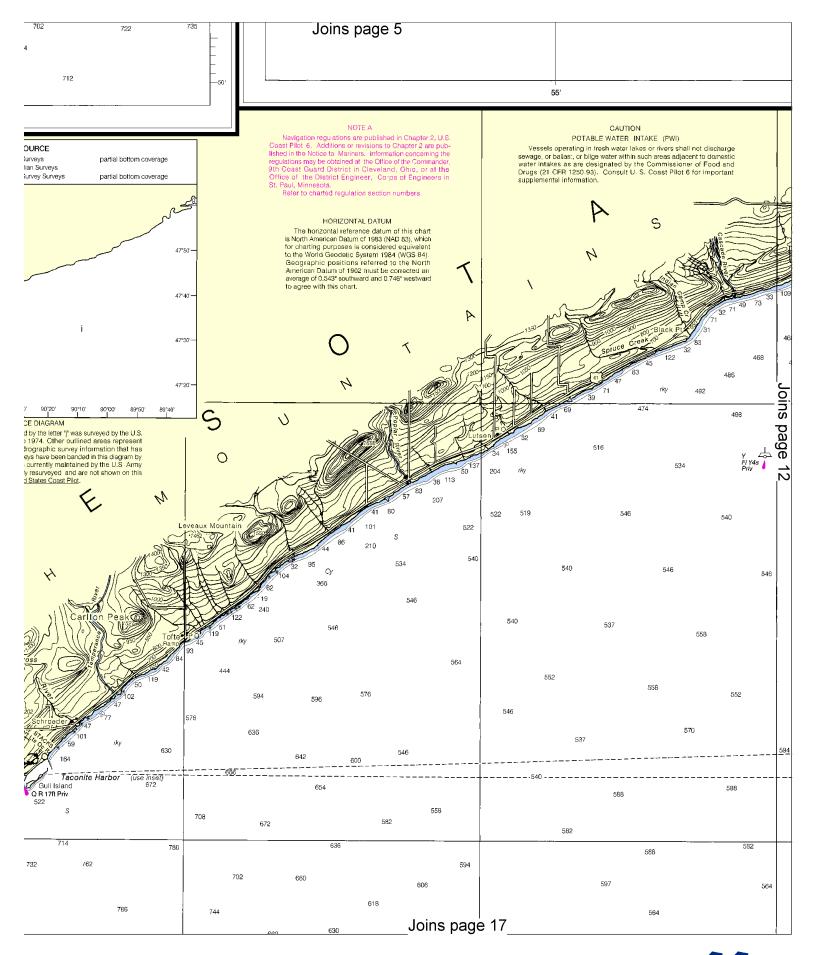
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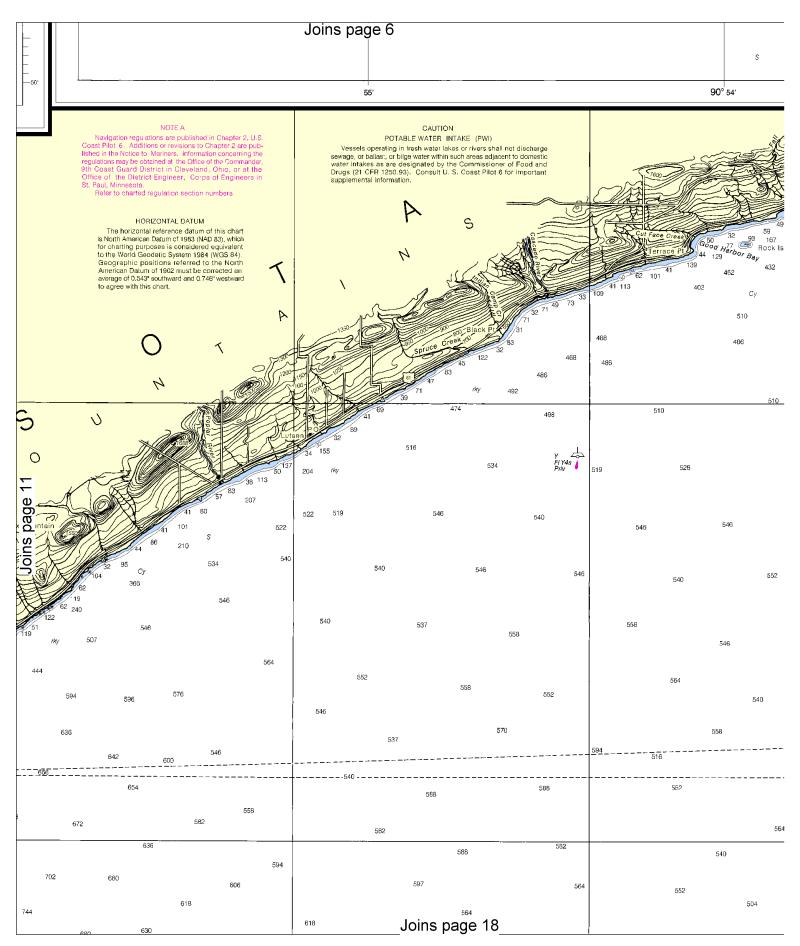


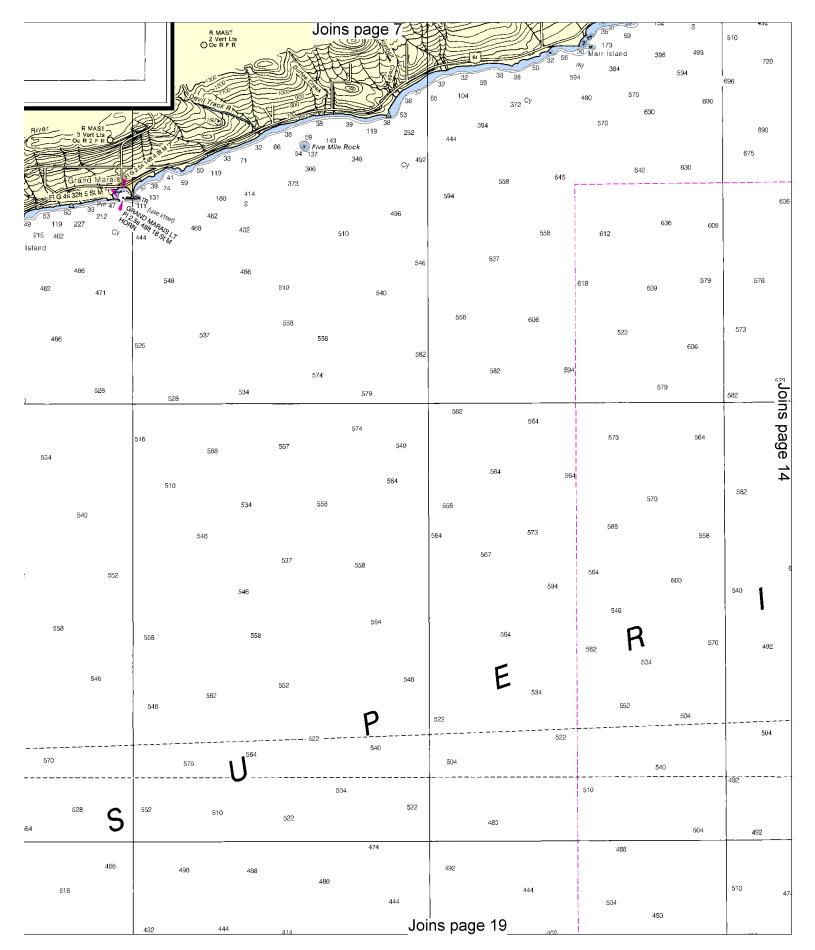
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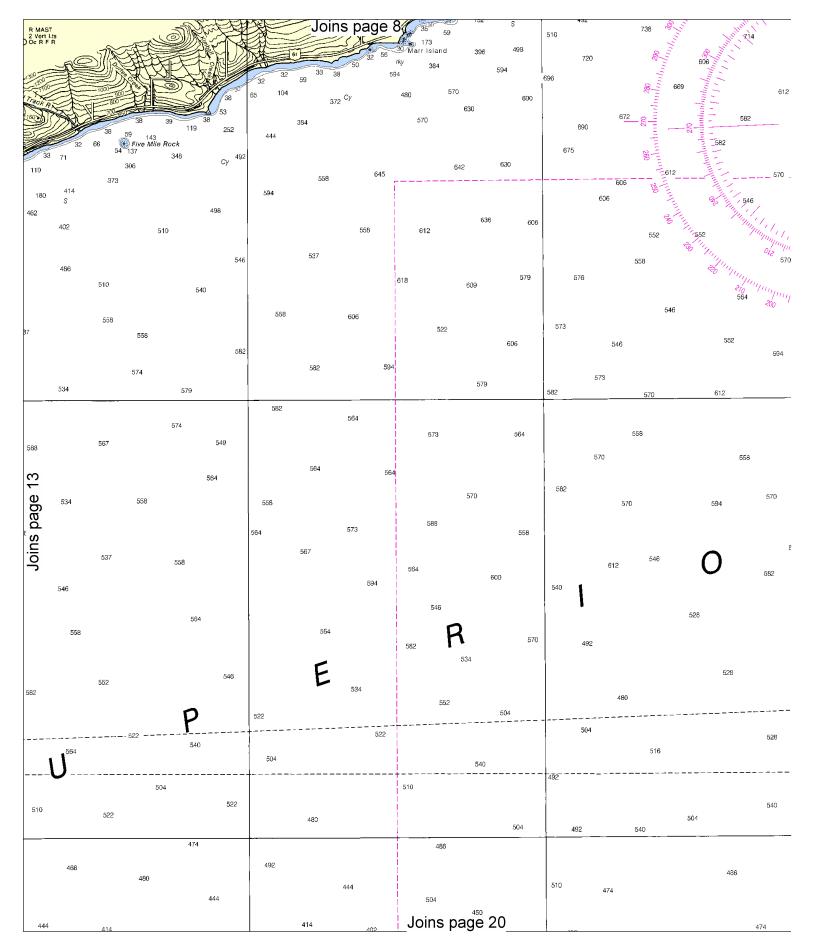


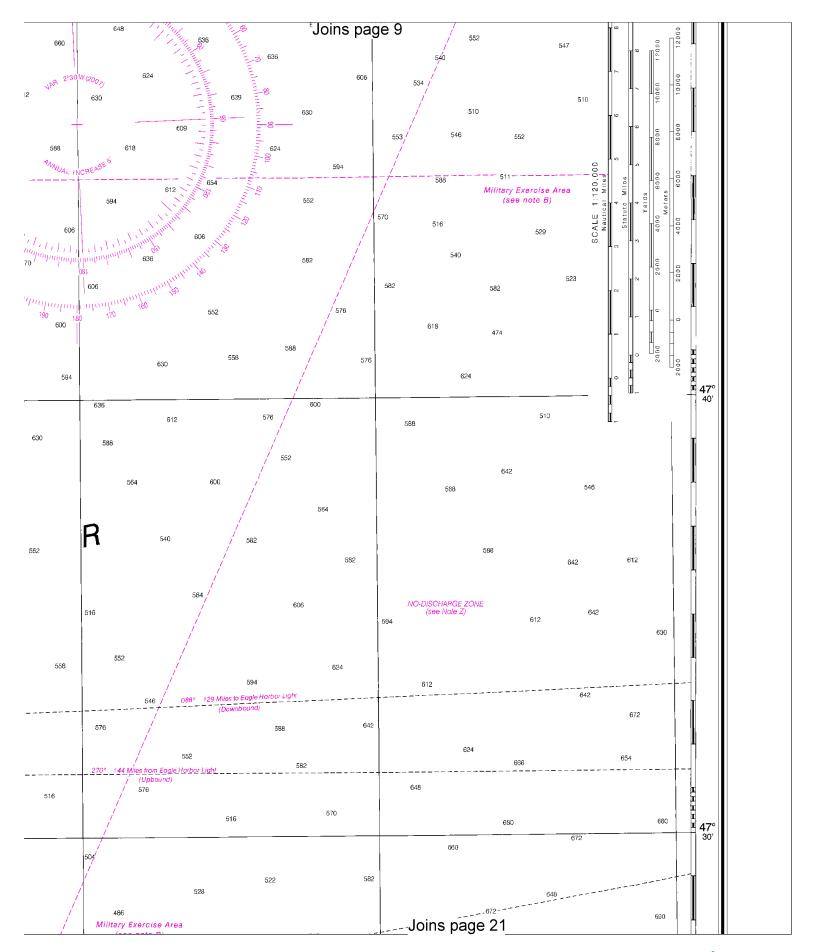


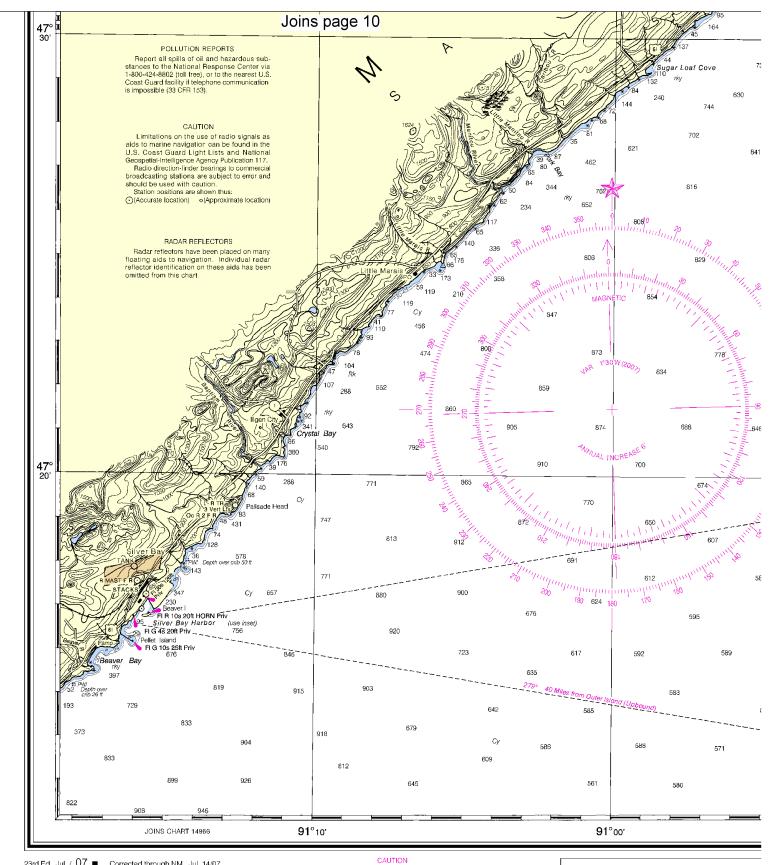












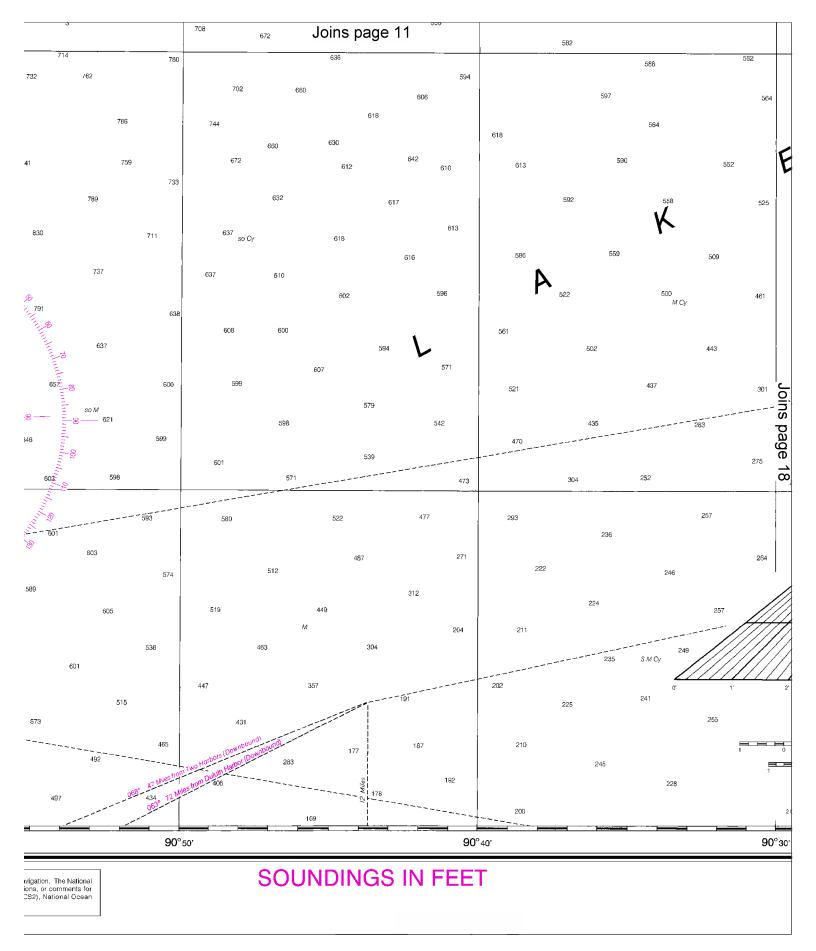
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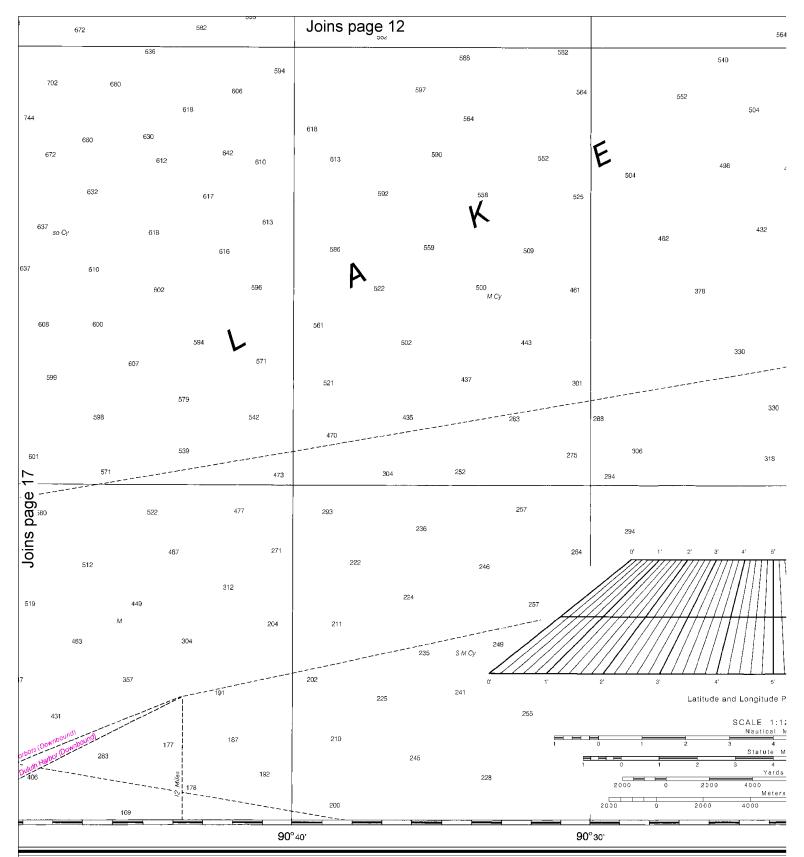
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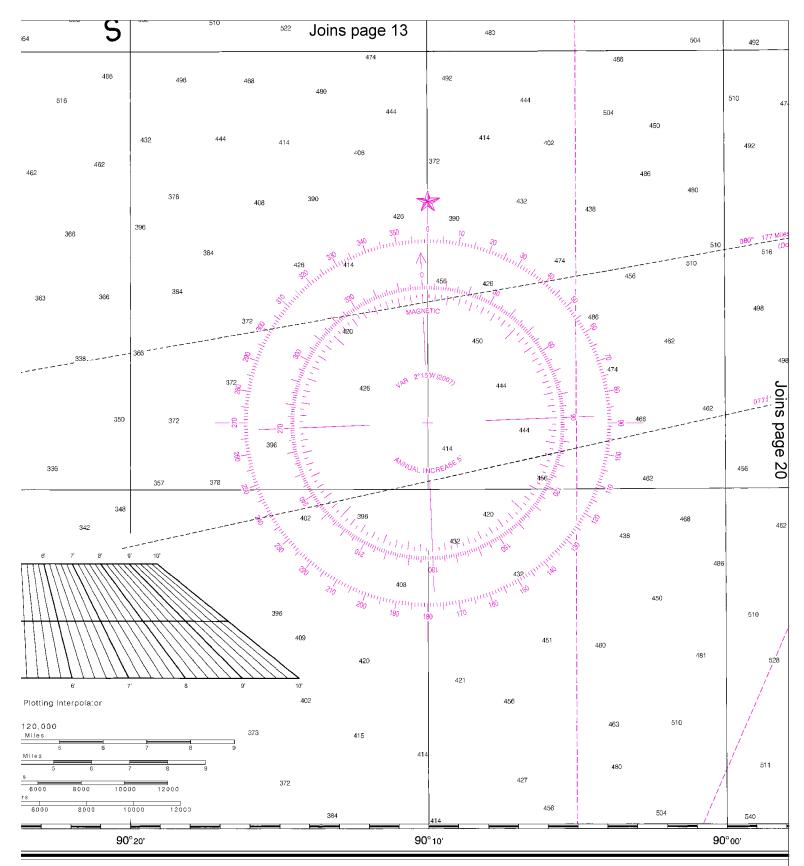
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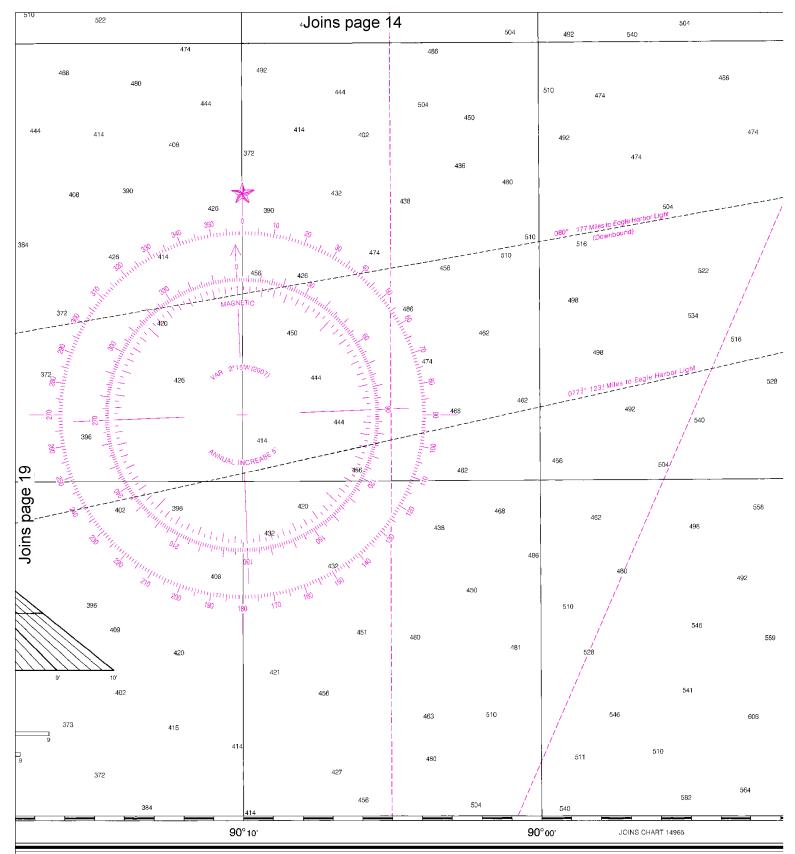
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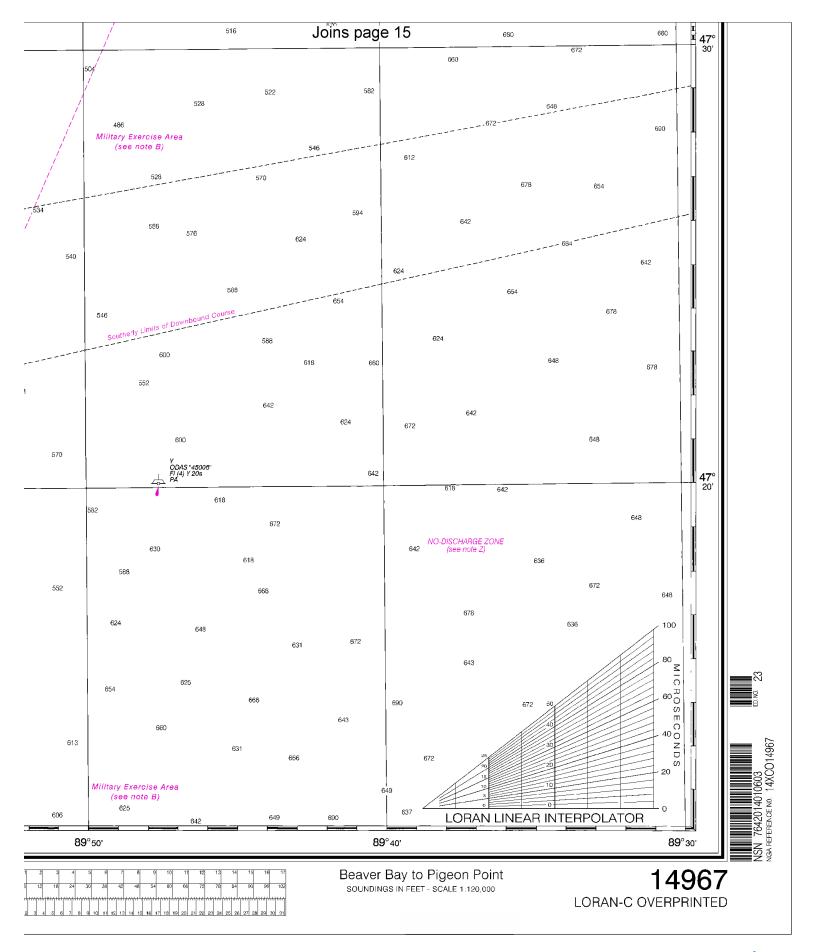
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VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

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Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls

to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here.

Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 & 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Distress Call Procedures

- 1. Make sure radio is on.
- 2. Select Channel 16.
- 3. Press/Hold the transmit button.
- 4. Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of Emergency; Number of People on Board.
- 6. Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds If no response Repeat MAYDAY Call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!!

Mobile Phones – Call 911 for water rescue.

Coast Guard Search & Rescue (RCC) – 216-902-6117

Coast Guard S & R (Sault Ste Marie) – 906-635-3230

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